
NSW POLICE FORCE
SHIELD
SECURITY IS
EVERYONE'S
RESPONSIBILITY

HOSTILE RECO

What is suspicious behaviour?

You know what's normal in your everyday work environment, so if you see anything suspicious trust your instincts. Activities or possessions that appear out of context may be an indicator of hostile reconnaissance.

Suspicious behaviour or activity should be reported to authorities. Indications of suspicious behaviour may include:



Unusual building surveillance such as noting exits and security in high patronage areas.



Unusual interest in security measures and routines, including over-inquisitive, unusual or persistent questions.



Recurring visitors or loiterers, with weak reasoning for their presence on site.



Anxious or nervous behaviour such as clock watching, shaking or pacing.



Attempting to remain inconspicuous, or leaving the area if noticed or avoiding security and CCTV.



Attempting to gain illegitimate access to premises (impersonating staff, tailgating through controlled areas).



Suspicious vehicle activity in close proximity to the site.

ONNAISSANCE

What to record

- ☑ Time/date/place.
- ☑ Description of the person and clothing.
- ☑ What activity or suspicious behaviour the person was displaying.
- ☑ What was their reaction to you observing or speaking to them.
- ☑ How did they enter and exit your site.
- ☑ Vehicle description, location, and registration details.
- ☑ Activities or items that person may have had a specific interest in.
- ☑ Were they captured on CCTV, specify location.

Reporting Suspicious Activity

- In life threatening situations, phone **000**.
- Suspicious behaviour should be reported to **Crime Stoppers** on **1800 333 000**.
- Or the **National Security Hotline** on **1800 1234 00**.
- Report to your supervisor or manager.

NSW Police Force

Triple Zero (000)
For emergencies or life threatening situations.

National Security Hot Line (1800 1234 00)
Trained operators take every call seriously. You can remain anonymous

Crime Stoppers (1800 333 000)
To provide crime information. It can be in confidence.

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